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2 11S4JLZ-3
3 By Representative Robertson
4 RFD: Education Policy
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1 Enrolled, An Act,

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4 Relating to public high schools; to require high
5 schools to excuse students from class to participate in
6 National Signing Day activities related to the acceptance of
7 athletic scholarships, postsecondary school educational
8 commitments, apprenticeship programs, and military
9 enlistments; and to provide reasonable accommodations for
10 those activities.

11 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

12 Section 1. (a) High school students who sign commitment
13 letters at a ceremony during instructional time at school as
14 part of organized National Signing Day activities related to
15 the acceptance of athletic scholarships, postsecondary school
16 or university educational commitments, commitments to
17 apprenticeship programs, and military enlistments shall be
18 excused from class.

19 (b) For activities conducted pursuant to subsection
20 (a):

21 (1) A school shall provide reasonable accommodations.
22 For purposes of this subdivision, reasonable accommodations
23 shall include, but not be limited to, meeting space with
24 Internet connectivity access and seating, the use of which
25 will not interfere with instruction;

26 (2) Guests may attend subject to local board of
27 education policy; and

28 (3) A school principal may excuse other students to

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29 attend.

30 Section 2. This act shall become effective on October

31 1, 2026.



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Speaker of the House of Representatives

President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

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I hereby certify that the within Act originated in and was passed by the House 03-Mar-26, as amended.

John Treadwell
Clerk

Senate	<u>07-Apr-26</u>	Amended and Passed
House	<u>07-Apr-26</u>	Concurred in Senate Amendment